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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Ex parte Quayle Office Action dated April 14, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are reflected on page 3 of this paper.

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